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PALERMO.

Date.	Name of ship.	Trachoma.	Favus.	Suspected trachoma.	Suspected favus.	Other causes.	Total.
Mar. 6	San Giorgio.....	18	.....	27	.....	3	48
10	Cretic.....	6	.....	5	.....	1	12
11	Italia.....	29	.....	28	.....	3	60
	Total.....	53	.....	60	.....	7	120

Smallpox in Naples.—During the week ended March 11 there were reported at the health office of the city of Naples 47 cases of smallpox with 1 death.

JAVA.

BATAVIA—Plague on Steamship.

Consul Rairden reports February 20:

During the week ended February 18 a steamship arrived from Jiddah with pilgrims on board. Plague having broken out on the vessel during the voyage, the pilgrims were landed at the quarantine station on an island about 10 miles distant from Batavia and the vessel was kept in quarantine for 5 days. No further cases having appeared on board, the vessel was allowed to enter the harbor, and the pilgrims will be allowed to land at Batavia at the expiration of 10 days.

PERU.

CALLAO—Plague—Status of Plague in Peru.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Castro-Gutierrez reports, March 13:

The following statement of plague in Peru was received from the director of public health:

Month of January, 1911.

Locality.	Cases remaining Dec. 31, 1910.	New cases.	Recovered.	Died.	Remaining Jan. 31, 1911.
Department:					
Arequipa.....	6	14	7	4	9
Callao.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
Lambayeque.....	1	17	4	12	2
Libertad.....	8	48	11	27	18
Lima.....	2	8	1	5	4
Piura.....	2	20	.....	8	17

¹ Unknown.

At Lima, for the period from February 19 to March 4, there were reported 8 new cases of plague, with 3 deaths.

Plague is present in epidemic form at Catacaos and Piura, and many cases are reported in the Chicama Valley.

Bills of health from ports south of Callao show as follows: Mollendo, Peru (Mar. 8), 2 cases of plague in preceding two weeks; Arica, Chile (Mar. 7), plague present; Iquique, Chile (Mar. 6), present in preceding two weeks; Valparaíso, Chile (Mar. 2), smallpox present.